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REPORT OF TREASURER.

New Ipswich, N. H., Feb. 16, 1895.

To the Selectmen of New Ipswich:

I hereby tender my resignation as treasurer of the town and submit the following as my twentieth consecutive annual report.

FRANK W. PRESTON, TREAS., IN ACCT. WITH THE TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH,

Dr.

To cash on hand at commencement of year	$3,801 48
" " rec'd from collector for 1893	500 00
" " " " " " " interest	17 54
" " " " " 1894	8,011 26
" " " " town notes	6,500 00
" " " " the county, for paupers	343 40
" " " " savings bank tax	1,175 08
" " " " literary fund	190 50
" " " " dog licenses, (net amt.)	130 40
" " " " Annie M. L. Hildreth	9 00
	$20,678 66

Cr. as follows.

By paying state tax	$1,310 00	
" " county tax	1,275 67	
" " town orders	15,694 82	
" cash on hand	2,398 17	
		$20,678 66

FRANK W. PRESTON, Treasurer.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

Amount of Polls and Property Taxed.

No. of polls, 226	value	$22,600 00	
horses, 210	"	12,730 00	
oxen, 18	"	740 00	
cows, 368	"	8,824 00	
neat stock, 60	"	904 00	
carriages, 7	"	724 00	
sheep, 34	"	118 00	
fowls, 1,210	"	596 00	
hogs, 4	"	50 00	
Stock in trade		11,252 00	
Money		600 00	
Mills and machinery		106,210 00	
Land and buildings		341,274 00	
			$506,622 00

Appropriations for 1894.

Highways	$1,500 00	
Schools	1,800 00	
Incidentals	2,500 00	
Decoration	70 00	
State tax	1,310 00	
County tax	1,275 67	
Excess	55 59	
		$8,511 26

Amount committed to collector $8,511 26

Rate per cent. on $1,000, $16.80.

TOWN EXPENDITURES.

Breaking Roads.

F. W. Prichard	$830 80	
A. F. Wright, 1892 and '93	12 90	
		$843 70

Repairing Roads.

F. W. Prichard	$1,569 11	
D. L. Burton, storing road machine	4 00	
		$1,573 11

Insurance.

F. W. Preston		$6 75

Decoration.

C. H. Balcom		$70 00

Street Lamps.

G. H. Hardy, lighting	$149 50	
H. J. Moore, lighting and supplies	35 97	
E. R. Wheeler, " " "	19 44	
W. L. Phelps, supplies	47 17	
C. R. Fletcher, repairs	4 00	
		$256 08

Water Tubs.

F. F. Reed, 1893 and '94	$6 00	
A. A. Hill, " " "	4 00	
Alfred Taylor, 1894	3 00	
Chas. Wheeler, tub at Smith Village	11 75	
" " " on Ashburnham road	2 50	
C. R. Fletcher, tub at Centre village	1 80	
J. N. Wilkinson, " " " "	4 50	
		$33 55

Fire Department.

G. E. Willard, watching fire	$2 00	
C. F. Russell, " "	60	

E. F. Blanchard, paid for watching fire near Pratt pond	$29 87	
E. O. Marshall, hose	229 18	
" " " paid firemen	348 92	
" " " supplies	1 15	
Henry Royce, steward	12 10	
M. L. Sargent, shingling engine-house	43 06	
		$666 88

Interest on Town Notes.

F. W. Preston		$403 00

Cemeteries.

Geo. Fox, mowing	$20 00	
Chas. Wheeler, labor	2 10	
		$22 10

Ministerial Fund Interest.

James Bolton	$26 30	
J. E. Taylor	26 30	
J. E. F. Marsh	26 31	
		$78 91

Reporting Births and Deaths.

B. D. Pease, 1893	$4 75	
" " " 1894	3 50	
V. A. Clement	1 75	
F. W. Jones	4 50	
J. C. B. Charest	75	
		$15 25

Recording Marriages, Births and Deaths.

W. L. Phelps		$17 50

Feeding Tramps.

C. F. Wilson		$2 30

Collection and Abatement.

F. W. Prichard, collector for 1894	$110 00	
Abatement	37 83	
		$147 83

Printing and Stationery.

F. H. Merriam, printing	$50 00	
Oliver Tenney, stationery	1 19	
		$51 19

Ringing Bell.

G. H. Hardy	$50 00
Repairing bell	$5 25

Schools and Supplies.

F. W. Prichard	$2,222 87	
" " " repairing fence	2 75	
		$2,225 62

Town Officers.

Oliver Tenney, services from Feb. 10, '94, to Jan. 26, '95, as selectman	$93 40	
C. L. Robbins, do.,	77 30	
Chas. Wheeler, services from Mar. 13, '94, to Jan. 26, '95, as selectman	58 50	
W. L. Phelps, town clerk	30 00	
F. W. Preston, town treasurer	35 00	
Auditors	10 00	
J. A. Wheeler, supervisors	30 00	
F. W. Prichard, chief of police	5 00	
E. G. Wilson, police	5 00	
J. E. Taylor, "	5 00	
C. F. Wilson, "	3 00	
H. J. Moore, "	3 00	
" " " dog police	3 00	
" " " renovating lockup	4 00	
C. R. Fletcher, fish and game warden for 1893	5 50	
		$367 70

Town notes	$8,000 00

Damages by dogs to L. H. Hodgman	$5 00
Miscellaneous	$9 20

Recapitulation.

Paid breaking roads	$843 70	
repairing "	1,573 11	
paupers	843 90	
fire department	666 88	
town officers	367 70	
collection and abatement of taxes	147 83	
printing and stationery	51 19	
schools and committees	2,225 62	
ringing bell	50 00	
repairing bell	5 25	
cemeteries	22 10	
street lamps	256 08	
reporting marriages, births and deaths	32 75	
insurance	6 75	
water tubs	33 55	
ministerial fund	78 91	
interest on town notes	403 00	
Memorial Day	70 00	
damages	5 00	
feeding tramps	2 30	
town notes	8,000 00	
miscellaneous	9 20	
		$15,694 82

The Legacy of Mrs. Betsey S. Smith,

For care of cemeteries, was deposited in the savings bank and the dividends that are unexpended amount to $192.46.

OLIVER TENNEY,
CHARLES L. ROBBINS,
CHARLES WHEELER,

Selectmen of New Ipswich.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

M. E. Balcom, board of Mrs. Calvin Blood	$156 35	
Oliver Tenney, goods furnished Mrs. Calvin Blood	2 65	
		$159 00
Simon Rolf, care of Geo. Rolf and wife	$120 00	
Dr. B. D. Pease, attendance upon do.	22 75	
Dr. Humminston, " " ".	2 00	
		144 75
Mary C. Shattuck, board of James Fletcher	$135 50	
R. H. Davis, chair for J. Fletcher	2 00	
Dr. F. W. Jones, attendance on do.	1 50	
		139 00
New Hampshire Asylum, care of Amos F. Shattuck		223 39
County of Cheshire, care and burial of Mrs. Parmenter		78 39
O. H. Perry, board of T. H. Perry		52 00
S. W. Wheeler, wood for M. J. Hayden		23 87
Goods furnished A. J. Goen		10 00
" " C. H. Wilkinson		7 50
Dr. F. W. Jones, attendance on Mrs. Tilton		6 00
		$843 90
Received from county to Jan. 1, 1895		343 40
Net cost for the year		$500 50

OLIVER TENNEY,
CHARLES L. ROBBINS,
CHARLES WHEELER,

Overseers of the Poor.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

Repairing.

C. L. Whittemore, 15¼ d. @ $1.75	$26	68
Alden Wright,		25
Fred Chapman, 2 days	3	50
Joseph Blakey, 4 "	7	00
I. H. Green, 3 "	5	25
E. F. Farrar, 1½ "	2	62
H. W. Wilson, 6 "	10	50
" " " team ½ "	1	00
Oliver Tenney, team etc.	45	94
J. A. Crowell, 5 days, 3½ hrs.	9	35
" " " team 4 hrs.		80
H. W. Whitney, 4 days	7	00
" " " and boy	3	34
F. Davis, 1½ days	2	00
Eugene Porter, 1 "	1	75
Fred Stacy, ½ "		87
Walter Thayer, 2½ days	4	37
John Barnett, boy and team	21	40
Geo. Sargent, 1 d. 6 hrs.	2	25
Peter Roberts, 7 days	12	25
J. H. Whitney, 11 d. 1 hr.	19	38
W. W. Hodgman, 5 hrs.		88
M. T. Robbins	1	75
Geo. H. Chandler, 2 days	3	50
F. W. Mansfield, 1 d. 8 hrs.	3	15
W. T. Bucknam, team etc.	51	30

W. E. Preston, 50 days, 7 hrs.	$88 73	
C. B. Preston, 1 day	1 75	
Geo. Weston, 5½ days	9 62	
" " horse	50	
E. E. Petts, 2 days, 8 hrs.	4 90	
E. H. Frederick, 6 days, 1 hr.	10 67	
Walter Rolf, 4 " 8 "	8 40	
Simon Rolf, 6 " 8 "	11 90	
J. E. F. Marsh Jr., 3 " 8 "	6 65	
Chas. Wheeler, team etc.	51 48	
Chas. Robbins, 8 days, 8 hrs.	15 41	
J. A. Wheeler, team etc.	40 71	
N. O. Whitney, " "	19 00	
C. E. Burnap, 44½ days	77 87	
G. C. Hildreth and team	29 46	
Geo. H. Woodward, 3 days, 4 hrs.	5 95	
John R. Newell, 6 days, 5 hrs.	11 37	
Daniel Butman, 2 days, 8½ hrs.	5 00	
Dana Blood, 2½ days	4 38	
A. C. Wheeler, team etc.	95 29	
H. W. Chandler, 3 days, 5 hrs.	6 12	
Frank Mansfield, 5 hrs.	87	
Augus Beaton	2 89	
Henry Wilkinson, 5 days	8 75	
E. Barcome, 1½ days, @ $1.50	2 25	
Jonas Cowdrey, 27 days, 3 hrs. @$1.50	40 95	
Leander Naubear, 12 days, $1.50	18 00	
A. Ricord, 9 days, 3¼ hrs. @ $1.25	11 74	
Joe Breau Jr., 30 days " "	37 50	
O. Durham, 9 days, 2 hrs. " "	11 50	
Chas. Lougee,	25	
John Parmenter	4 03	
G. F. Page, 1 day	1 75	
B. G. Taylor, 62 days, 4 hrs. @$1.75	109 22	
W. C. Newell, 2 days " $1.25	2 50	
F. W. Prichard, 57 d., 2 hrs. " $1.75	100 00	
" " " team 97½ days@$2	195 00	
Use of tools	5 00	
		$1,305 44

Bridges and Railing.

F. W. Prichard, 12 days, 4 hours, @ $1.75	$21 70	
F. W. Prichard, team 10 days @ $2	20 00	
B. G. Taylor, 12 days, 7 hrs. @ $1.75	22 02	
Fred Chapman, 7 days "	12 25	
Peter Roberts, 10 " "	17 50	
Leander Naubear, 11 days 1.50	16 50	
A. N. Townsend,	25	
Geo. Weston	35	
E. W. Maxwell, railing and work	27 40	
F. W. Prichard, 384 ft. railing	3 84	
" " " 762 ft. plank	8 73	
Powder and fuse	61	
Nails	90	
Wilson & Sanger, 2500 ft. plank	30 00	
Otis Robbins, 869 ft. chestnut plank	17 38	
Columbian Mfg. Co., derrick, tools etc.	5 43	
C. B. Preston, 2 covering stone	1 00	
Simon Rolf, plank and timber	1 51	
" " posts and railing	1 42	
Chas. Wheeler, railing	12 32	
J. A. Wheeler, work and railing	2 00	
A. C. Wheeler, " " "	6 68	
Davis Brothers, lumber	2 00	
Frank Whittemore, work on railing	1 83	
		$233 62

Repairing Tools.

A. A. Woodward, tools etc.	$7 00	
A. A. Hill, tools and drills	40	
G. W. Price, cutting iron and tools	60	
		$8 00

Road Machines.

A. A. Woodward, repairs	$7 00	
W. R. Thompson, express	1 05	
Geo. Taylor, sections	16 00	
		$24 05

Recapitulation.

Repairs on road	$1,305 44	
" " bridges and railing	233 62	
" " tools	8 00	
" " road machine	24 05	
		$1,571 11

Receipts.

Balance, 1893	$2 00	
Rec'd of selectmen	1,569 11	
		$1,571 11
1 set sections on hand		8 00
		$1,563 11

BREAKING ROADS, WINTER OF 1893-4.

C. H. Hardy	$1 80
John Barnett	24 90
A. H. Willard Jr.	6 80
Geo. H. Chandler	7 35
Angus Beaton	5 82
John Beaton	4 85
E. Hudson	2 45
S. W. Wheeler	10 00
J. Otis Wheeler	5 50
Geo. S. Wheeler	23 40
J. E. Aldrich	30
John S. Cummings	2 80
W. T. Bucknam	18 95
C. L. Robbins	3 00
M. M. Perley	2 40
Leon Willard	2 40
Charles Knowlton	1 20
Charles Wilson	85
James Davis	60
I. B. Foskett	1 30
H. W. Whitney	16 00

G. G. Davis	$2 80
Edw. Davis	2 70
D. C. Porter	2 00
Geo. H. Ramsdell	11 20
E. E. Petts	4 95
F. L. Mansfield	13 60
H. P. Hill	1 40
F. A. Stacy	3 20
L. W. Newell	2 63
N. O. Whitney	15 50
A. Jowders	31 10
Joseph Wilson	2 60
C. E. Burnap	1 10
Oliver Tenney	7 60
Reed Tenney	12 80
J. A. Wheeler	13 60
Geo. H. Lougee	8 70
S. D. Humphrey	9 90
J. E. Lovejoy	19 00
H. M. Lougee	51 30
R. H. Lake	28 30
Horace Parker	5 20
J. G. Humphrey	16 30
E. Humphrey	10 20
E. Grant	17 80
A. A. Hill	1 65
C. A. Crowell	25 60
C. L. Whittemore	6 60
Geo. J. Maxwell	1 50
J. M. Rafuse	2 20
C. W. Browne	3 65
H. W. Wilson	22 95
E. F. Farrar	5 00
C. M. Wheeler	5 00
F. L. Hodgman	1 25
F. F. Reed	1 25
J. Silver Jr.	25 30
Henry Royce	2 30
John Emery	1 00

D. Blood	$0 30	
Edw. Bathrick	1 20	
A. C. Wheeler	35 40	
A. A. Woodward	6 10	
W. Chandler	2 60	
E. Bond	10 30	
E. Blanchard	5 00	
C. Wheeler	1 20	
J. Goen	40	
F. A. Whittemore	10 90	
A. S. Warren	10 60	
J. E. Taylor	12 80	
Geo. C. Hildreth	23 95	
Geo. H. Woodward	2 90	
Charles Wheeler	30 70	
W. H. Chandler	4 60	
G. C. Blanchard	3 00	
A. F. Wright	2 10	
Simon Rolf	1 60	
Joseph Blakey	56 55	
W. Fitts	4 40	
W. Rolf	4 40	
E. Frederick	3 00	
F. W. Prichard	38 00	
G. S. Weston	3 10	
H. J. Moore	3 90	
W. E. Preston	4 75	
F. W. Prichard and horse, as road agent	3 75	
		$830 80

F. W. PRICHARD, Road Agent.

REPORT OF AUDITORS.

The auditors appointed by the town to settle with the selectmen and treasurer have attended to their duty and submit the following report.

They find the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer properly vouched and correctly cast.

The expenses of the town have been as follows:

For state tax	$1,310 00
county tax	1,275 67
paupers	843 90
breaking roads	843 70
repairing "	1,573 11
fire department	666 88
town officers	367 70
collection and abatement of taxes	147 83
printing and stationery	51 19
schools and committees	2,225 62
ringing bell	50 00
cemeteries —	22 10
street lamps	256 08
births, deaths and marriages	32 75
insurance	6 75
water tubs	33 55
ministerial fund	78 91
interest	403 00
decoration	70 00
damages	5 00

For repairing bell	$5 25	
tramps	2 30	
miscellaneous	9 20	
town notes	8,000 00	
		$18,280 49

THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN

is as follows:

Cash in hands of treasurer	$2,398 17	
Due from collector for 1894	500 00	
Net debt	2,101 83	
		$5,000 00

Liabilities of the Town.

Town notes	$5,000 00

The town has as other liabilities the payment of the annual interest on the ministerial fund which amounts to $1,315.68. Also payment of annual interest on the school fund, which amounts to $1.351.62.

We recommend that the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) be raised for the incidental expenses of the town.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES L. TARBELL,
JOSEPH A. WHEELER,
GEORGE R. JAQUITH,

Auditors.

Marriages Registered in the Town of New

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence at time of marriage	Age	Occupation
Apr. 2	Greenville	*Etienne Bouley	New Ipswich	29	Mill Hand
		Exilda Ricard	" "	33	" "
Oct. 29	Ashby, Mass.	*John T. Caton	Ashby, Mass.	73	Farmer
		*Nellie L. Tilton	New Ipswich	47	Housekeeper
" "	New Ipswich	Albert Edward Brown	" "	24	Steward
		Grace J. Thayer	" "	23	Teacher
Nov. 30	Temple	Delbert Hudson	" "	19	Farmer
		Eva M. Keyes	" "	20	Domestic
Dec. 1	Fitchburg, Mass.	Lewis Damon	Fitchburg, [Mass.	27	Carpenter
		Ida B. Davis	New Ipswich	28	Housekeeper

*Second marriage.

Ipswich, for the Year Ending December 31, 1894.

Birthplace	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	By whom married
Canada "	Etienne Bouley Catherine St. Peter Pierre Ricard Julienne LeClerc	Canada " " "	 Housewife Stonecutter Housewife	O. J. Desrosiers, Priest, Greenville
Ireland Rutland, [Mass.	James Caton Mary McCarty Peter Fletcher Rhoda Allen			G. S. Shaw, Clerg., Ashby, Mass.
New Ipswich " "	Charles Brown Abbie F. Partridge Samuel A. Thayer Mary Adams	Boston, Mass.	[Salesman Travelling Housewife	G. F. Merriam, Clerg., Greenville
Marlboro, [Mass. New Ipswich	Elias M. Hudson Lucy J. Waters John Keyes	Hibby, N. S. Millbury, [Mass.	Carpenter Housewife Laborer	W. H. Forbes, Clerg. Temple
Ashby, Mass. New Ipswich	Eben Damon Lucinda Cutting Samuel Davis Mary Haskell	Ashby, Mass. Weston, " Mason Mt. Holly, Vt.	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	Frank Recter, Clerg., Fitchburg, Mass.

Births Registered in the Town of New

Date	Name of Child	Male or Female	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 2	Lutie E.	F	1	Geo. H. Chandler	Annie V. Webber
" 5	George	M	1	George Gagnon	Mary Roberts
" 17		"	1	Daniel B. Stetson	Clara J. Maxwell
" 31	Wilfred	"	1	John Rogers	Delvide Provost
Feb. 15		"	2	C. F. Jowders	Sadie E. Forbush
" 20			4	Oliver Tenney	Ella F. Hale
Mar. 30	Milton A.	M	1	Albert L. Howe	Abbie M. Corbett
Apr. 4	Marie	F		Louis Charois	Célanise Duval
" 27		F	5	Charles Ferrin	Flora G. Geel
" 16	Charles George	M	3	Charles E. Steele	Jennie L. Proctor
" 19	Grace	F	1	Guy C. Blanchard	Ida Partridge
May 11	Ida	F	13	Edward Brillon	Marie Nolet
" 11	Eva	F	14	Edward Brillon	Marie Nolet
" 15		F	5	Albert Cowdrey	Mary Baillargeon
June 5	Robert Levi	M	3	Herbert Chandler	Carrie H. M. Blanchard
July 12		F	1	John Clear	Sadie J. Murray
" 24	Arthur S.	M	1	Walter S. Thayer	Annie F. Chandler
Aug. 7	Florida	F	3	Edward LeClerc	Julie Soulier
" 10		F	7	Charles A. Stacy	Eva A. Wright
" 20	Hollis Emerson	M	1	Geo. Lougee	Mary F. Symonds
Sep. 2		"	1	Henry S. Davis	Sarah E. Heywood
Oct. 1		F	2	Joseph Brigham	Léochine Bossely
" 12	Joseph	M	5	Antoine Choulnard	Georgianna Duval
Nov. 19		M	2	James E. Lovejov	Nellie Stearns
Dec. 26	Henry Oscar	M	3	Geo. Woodward	Emma Blanchard

Ipswich, for the Year Ending December 31, 1894.

Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Father's age	Mother's Age
Laborer	Winchendon	Buxton, Mass.	30	20
Mill Hand	Quebec	New Ipswich	25	21
Butcher	Baltimore, Md.	" "	32	20
Laborer	Quincy, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.	21	20
Farmer	Lynn, "	Greenville	34	20
"	New Ipswich	Rindge	47	34
Mechanic	Charlton, Mass.	New Ipswich	24	18
Weaver	Canada	Canada	49	44
Superintendent of Saw Mill	Steuben, Me.	Machias, Me.	32	28
Teamster	Milford	Manchester		
Farmer	New Ipswich	Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.	26	22
Carpenter	Kissville, N. Y.	Lewis, " "	44	39
"	" " "	" " "	44	39
Mill Hand	New Ipswich	Canada	31	25
Manufacturer and Farmer	" "	New Ipswich	38	31
Railroad Workman	Canada	Manchester	25	24
Farmer	New Ipswich	Tewksbury, Mass.	20	17
Mill Hand	Canada	Canada	30	28
Butcher	Ashby, Mass.	New Ipswich	26	31
Carpenter	Chelsea, "	" "	24	20
Farmer	Mason	Temple	35	26
Mill Hand	Canada	Canada	22	19
Laborer	"	"	32	26
Farmer	Milford	Concord	33	26
"	Ashby, Mass.	New Ipswich	27	36

Deaths Registered in the Town of New

Date	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age			Sex	*Condition	Place of Birth
			Years	Months	Days			
Jan. 6	New Ipswich	George Gagnon			1	M		New Ipswich
" 22	Pepperell, Ms.	Alfred Tenney	88	11	26	"	W	
" 26	New Ipswich	Charity Sargent	90	1	5	F	"	
Feb. 5	Concord	John G. Leonard Jr.	49	11	22	M		Lowell
" 14	Hyde Park, Ms.	Mary Jane Stark	68	9	27	F		
" 10	New Ipswich	Joseph Bélanger	1		6	M		New Ipswich
" 28	" "	Julia A. Chickering	89	2		F	"	" "
Mar. 13	Oskaloosa	Helen E. G. Holman	34	4	15	"	M	
" 25	New Ipswich	Albert L. Parsons	50	2		M	"	North Yarmouth,
" 28	" "	Gilman Blanchard	76	10	24	"	"	[Mass.
Apr. 4	" "	Marie Charois				F		
" 21	Boxboro, Mass.	Sophronia Brown	91	4	11	"	W	
June 16	New Ipswich	Mary Jane Fox	75	5	3	"	M	Pepperell, Mass.
Aug. 31	" "	George T. Fox	36	8		M	S	New Ipswich
Sept. 8	" "	Sarah W. Preston	81	1		F	W	Mason
" 9	" "	Marie R. Duval		11	15	"		Greenville
" 23	" "	Florida A. LeClerc		1	16	"		New Ipswich
Oct. 1	" "	Mary Brigham				"		" "
" 6	" "	Hollis E. Lougee		1	19	M		" "
" 14	Lincoln, Neb.	Abbie P. Bellows	81	1		F	W	
" 29	New Ipswich	Charles Ferrin	32		26	M	M	Steuben, Me.
Dec. 4	Peterboro	Sophronia Pratt	85	6	5	F	W	Hubbardston, Mass.
" 25	Abington, Ms.	Jane M. Noyes	84	4	11	"		
" 26	New Ipswich	Kate M. Wheeler	36	4	25	"	S	New Ipswich

*Single, married or widowed.

Ipswich, for the Year Ending December 31, 1894.

Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
P. Q.	New Ipswich	George Gagnon	Mary Roberts
		John G. Leonard	Luthera Thomas
Wenham, Mass.	Harvard, Mass.	Josiah Obear	Abigail Carlton
		Robert Gordon	
N. Yarmouth		David L. Parsons	Elizabeth Hays
St. Aubert	Canada	Louis Charois	CélaniseVadeboncœur
Pepperell, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Winslow Ames	Mary Parker
New Ipswich	Pepperell, "	George Fox	Mary Jane Ames
Mason	Mason	Samuel Weston	Nancy Wheeler
Canada	Canada	N. Duval	Almina Thériault
"	"	Edward LeClerc	Julie Soulière
"	"	Joseph Brigham	Léochin Bossely
Chelsea, Mass.	New Ipswich	George H. Lougee	Mary Simonds
England	Steuben, Me.	Joseph Ferrin	Clarinda Whitney
		Herman Goodspeed	Elizabeth Parker
New Ipswich	New Ipswich	Geo. W. Wheeler	Mary C. Goen

Permits for Catholic Cemetery.

Amanda Antil
Anne N. M. Duval
Louis Cameré
Julie Thibault
——— Deschènes
Marie Cournoyer
Arthur J. Bernier
Mary H. Riley
Joseph A. Fournier
Joseph S. Pelletier
Marie A. Desrosiers
Emilie Caron
Felix Morelle
Louis L. Doucette
Helen Irene Spillane
George Binnette

WILBUR L. PHELPS, Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Citizens of New Ipswich:

In presenting this annual report we feel that the parents and others interested in our public schools have noted their progress from week to week, and know more or less of their success. As a whole our teachers have labored earnestly and faithfully for the children committed to their care. Aptness to teach, moral worth and a good degree of culture, with other essential qualities, have been brought to their work and have contributed largely to its efficiency. Believing that "as is the teacher, so is the school," it has been our aim to consult only the highest welfare of the child in their selection. Neither prevailing sickness, severity of weather, or impassable roads by reason of deep snow (if we except the storm of Feb. 8), have interfered with the regularity of attendance, which should be continuous throughout the school year rather than just enough to satisfy the requirements of the law, as is sometimes the case.

The registers show about the usual number of visitors. Let parents visit the school homes of their children and learn from personal observation the daily methods of discipline and instruction. It has been said that no defect exists in our public schools which might not be

removed by the coöperation of parent and teacher. Among the evils, tardiness holds a prominent place. Children should learn at home that to be prompt at 9 A. M. and 1 P. M. is a duty, and that a day's absence, or a dismissal whereby one or more lessons are lost, is a step backward in the journey toward a higher education. We note few changes. First, perhaps, to be mentioned is the change on the School Board occasioned by the resignation on Sept. 7 of C. A. Preston, chairman. The vacancy was soon filled and the work proceeded without interruption.

The total enrollment of pupils for the year is 167, seventeen more than the year previous. Average daily attendance 104, a gain of nine. No. 2 has made a favorable change numerically; fourteen pupils being registered this last term, nine more than in the winter of 1892-3. No. 8 was in session 22 2-5 weeks. The removal of a portion of the pupils from the district in November left only two to attend in winter, and the school was discontiuued. The seven other schools with a single exception were kept open 31 weeks.

The condition of some of our school buildings demands attention. At Smith Village the house is unfit for school purposes. A new chimney should be built to insure safety from fire, and the interior thoroughly reconstructed and furnished with modern and more comfortable chairs and desks. Comment as to the exterior is unnecessary—it speaks for itself. No. 11 school-house needs painting outside and the roof should be reshingled to preserve it. The floor at No. 4 needs repairing and the outside woodwork would last longer if painted. No. 3 also needs a coat of paint. The rain is finding its way through

the roof at No. 2 and causing the plastering to loosen and fall.

The town is to be congratulated on the prospect of an increased appropriation for the support of its public schools. May the rising generation for whose mental elevation this friend of education has given so freely, and made the conditions of his benefactions so wisely, be taught while enjoying its benefits to hold in grateful remembrance their benefactor and friend.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS W. PRICHARD,
ANNA A. GOLDSMITH,
JOHN PRESTON,
School Board of New Ipswich.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

No. 1 School.

Fall: Daniel P. Maynard, Herbert F. Preston, Harry A. Wilson, Lester J. Silver, Perley L. Greene.

No. 2 School.

Spring: Elmer J. Wilson.
Fall: Elmer J. Wilson, Ralph Farrin, Clarinda Farrin, Beatrice Saunders, Frank Saunders.
Winter: Elmer J. Wilson, Alice M. Farrin, Clarinda Farrin, Ralph Farrin, Hattie E. Tenney, Wallace O. Tenney.

No. 3 School.

Spring: Charles A. Wheeler, Stephen Wheeler.
Fall: Edith L. Reed.

No. 4 School.

Spring: Mary L. Mansfield, Nellie A. Mansfield, Lona B. Whitney, Mabel S. Stanyan, Waldo B. Newell, Wilbur C. Whitney.

Fall: Freddie Mansfield, Mary Mansfield.

Winter: Albert F. Mansfield, Mary L. Mansfield, Nellie A. Mansfield.

No. 5 School.

Spring: Arthur F. Wheeler, Allen E. Whitney, Elsie A. Woodward, Anna A. Woodward.

Fall: Edward Robbins.

Winter: Allen E. Whitney.

No. 8 School.

Spring: Blanche A. White, Gracie G. Fitts.

No. 11 School.

Spring: Willie H. Seward.

Fall: Effie M. Prichard, Lena F. Prichard, Edith M. Seward, Willie H. Seward.

Winter: Ethel L. Frye, Freddie Frye, Effie M. Prichard, Lena F. Prichard, John E. Moore, Georgie Reed.

No. 12 School.

Spring: Lizzie Bolton.

Fall: Zena Chouinard, Archie Breau, Charlie Breau, Andrew Breau, Fred Breau, Fred Lamontagne.

Winter: Annabel Bolton, Archie Breau, Willie Tandy, Fred Lamontagne.

For Two Terms.

Ralph H. Farrin, Nellie A. Mansfield, Willie H. Seward, Lena F. Prichard, Fred Lamontagne, Clarinda Farrin, Allen E. Whitney, Effie M. Prichard, Archie Breau.

For the Whole Year.

Elmer J. Wilson, Mary L. Mansfield.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of School	Term	No. of weeks	Teachers	Wages per mo.	No. of pupils	Reading	Spelling	Penmanship	Arithmetic	Geography	Grammar	History	Composition	Physiology	Book-keeping	Drawing
	1	11	Mary M. Smith	$32	15	15	15	14	12	9	6					12
1	2	10	S. Ada Phillips	32	21	21	21	21	18	14	7		8	8		16
	3	10	S. Ada Phillips	32	24	24	24	24	22	12	8		14	19		22
	1	11	Florence A. Keough	24	15	15	15	15	15	9	2	5	10	2		14
2	2	10	Florence A. Keough	24	15	15	15	15	15	13	1	5	13	12		15
	3	10	Florence A. Keough	24	14	14	14	14	14	12	4	4	12	13		14
	1	11	Mary E. Smiley	28	8	8	8	8	8	8	7		8	7		8
3	2	10	Mary E. Smiley	24	9	8	8	8	8	8	7		8	7		7
	3	10	Winifred E. Robbins	24	9	9										
	1	11	Alice L. Leedham	28	23	23	23	22	21	19	3	3	8			21
4	2	10	Nellie E. Leadbetter	30	16	16	16	16	15	14	2	4	6			14
	3	10	Nellie E. Leadbetter	30	16	16	16	16	16	15	6	8	6			12
	1	11	S. Ada Phillips	32	20	20	20	20	20	16	10	8		20		
5	2	10	Mabel E. Savage	32	20	20	20	20	20	15	10	4		20		
	3	10	Mabel E. Savage	32	13	13	13	13	13	11	10	5		1	1	
8	1	11	Mabel I. Newell	24	8	8	8	8	7	7	2	4	2			5
	2	11	Mabel I. Newell	24	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	3	5	1		5
	1	11	Caroline Lowe	32	18	18	18	18	16	6	1	6		1	1	12
11	2	10	Mary L. Day	30	22	22	14	22	14	9	7	1		7		
	3	10	Mary L. Day	30	19	19	19	19	12	8	6			6		19
	1	10	Agnes M. Merrow	32	27	27	12	27	27	11	1	6				27
12	2	10	Agnes M. Merrow	32	23	23	23	23	23	11	2	6				23
	3	10	May Richmond	30	26	26	26	26	26	9	2	5	2	2		26

REPORT OF THE

TREASURER & SCHOOL BOARD.

Receipts.

Balance from last year	$0 08	
Town appropriation	1,800 00	
Literary fund	190 50	
School fund	81 09	
Dog licenses, 1893	151 28	
		$2,222 95

Expenditures.

Instruction	$1,713 40	
Fuel and preparing	119 59	
Supplies	114 17	
Janitors	52 30	
Express	2 78	
Transportation	16 00	
Labor and repairs	51 29	
Postage etc.	1 19	
		$2,070 72

Salary of School Board.

C. A. Preston	$20 00
F. W. Prichard	20 00

A. A. Goldsmith	$30 00	
John Preston	30 00	
		$100 00
		$2,170 72
Balance on hand		52 23
		$2,222 95

Respectfully submitted,

F. W. PRICHARD, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS.

The auditors appointed to examine the accounts of the school board have attended to their duty and find the accounts correctly cast and vouchers for same.

CHARLES L. TARBELL,
JOSEPH A. WHEELER,
GEORGE R. JAQUITH,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE

Spalding School Fund Committee.

The town having neglected to choose a committee for receiving and investing the "Spalding School Fund," the selectmen appointed a temporary committee on Dec. 31, 1894, viz: Moses M. Balch, Joseph A. Wheeler and Frederic W. Jones. Said committee were empowered to act until the annual March meeting, when a committee shall be chosen according to the clause specified in the will of the benefactor, Hon. Isaac Spalding, a native of this town.

Dr. Edward Spalding, one of the executors of the Spalding will, paid ten thousand dollars to the committee on Jan. 5, 1895, at his office in Nashua, N. H. On Jan. 26, 1895, a note was taken from the town of New Ipswich for a loan of $6,500, upon which one endorsement has been made for the sum of fifteen hundred dollars. The balance of the fund is in the charge of the the committee, who are negotiating for other investments.

MOSES M. BALCH,
JOSEPH A. WHEELER,
FREDERIC W. JONES,
Spalding Committee.

Feb. 19th, 1895.

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